CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE ACORD_

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INSURERS	NAIC#	
INSURER A:	Landmark American Ins. Co.	
INSURER B:	Travelers	
INSURER C:		
INSURER D:		
INSURER E:		

COVERAGES

THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED, NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. AGGREGATE LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS.

	ADD'L INSRD TYPE OF INSURANCE	POLICY NUMBER	DATE (MM/DD/YY)	POLICY EXPIRATION DATE (MM/DD/YY)	LIMIT	S
В	GENERAL LIABILITY X COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY	1680666Н3944	02/26/08	02/26/09	EACH OCCURRENCE DAMAGE TO RENTED	\$ 1000000 \$ 300000
	CLAIMS MADE X OCCUR				PREMISES (Ea occurence) MED EXP (Any one person)	s 5000
					PERSONAL & ADV INJURY	\$1000000
					GENERAL AGGREGATE	s 2000000
	GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER:				PRODUCTS - COMP/OP AGG	\$ 2000000
В	AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY X ANY AUTO	BA666H4037	02/26/08	02/26/09	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident)	s 1000000
	ALL OWNED AUTOS SCHEDULED AUTOS				BODILY INJURY (Per person)	\$
	X HIRED AUTOS X NON-OWNED AUTOS				BODILY INJURY (Per accident)	\$
					PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)	\$
	GARAGE LIABILITY				AUTO ONLY - EA ACCIDENT	\$
	ANY AUTO				OTHER THAN AUTO ONLY: EA ACC	\$
	EXCESS/UMBRELLA LIABILITY				EACH OCCURRENCE	\$
	OCCUR CLAIMS MADE				AGGREGATE	\$
						\$
	DEDUCTIBLE					\$
	RETENTION \$					\$
B EMPL	WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY	IKUB666H422	02/26/08	02/26/09	WC STATU- TORY LIMITS ER	
	ANY PROPRIETOR/PARTNER/EXECUTIVE				E.L. EACH ACCIDENT	\$ 1000000
OFFICER/MEMBER EXCLUDED? If yes, describe under					E.L. DISEASE - EA EMPLOYEE	s 1000000
	SPECIAL PROVISIONS below				E.L. DISEASE - POLICY LIMIT	\$1000000
OTHER A E&O		LHR716724	02/26/08	02/26/09	E&O Deductibl	\$1m/\$2m \$5,000

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES / EXCLUSIONS ADDED BY ENDORSEMENT / SPECIAL PROVISIONS Shelby County Government, its elected officials, appointees and employees as additional insured.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

CANCELLATION

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Shelby County Government Purchasing Dept 160 N. Main, Suite 550 Memphis TN 38103

SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, THE ISSUING INSURER WILL ENDEAVOR TO MAIL 30 DAYS WRITTEN NOTICE TO THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER NAMED TO THE LEFT, BUT FAILURE TO DO SO SHALL IMPOSE NO OBLIGATION OR LIABILITY OF ANY KIND UPON THE INSURER, ITS AGENTS OR REPRESENTATIVES.

AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

Hugh M. Peterson Jr.



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Request for Proposal Shelby County Government Purchasing Department

160 N. Main, Suite 550 Memphis, TN 38103

Issued: October 24, 2008

Due: November 21, 2008 no later than 3:00 P.M. (Central Standard Time)

RFP #09-010-24 SOUTHERN POPLAR/CORRIDOR STUDY

Shelby County Government, on behalf of the Memphis Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization (known as Memphis MPO) is soliciting written proposals, on a competitive basis from qualified professionals to provide a corridor study for Southern/Poplar area. Information regarding this RFP is located on the County's website at www.shelbycountytn.gov. Go to "Purchasing Bids" under Online Services on the home page to locate the above-described RFP.

The proposal, as submitted, should include all estimated costs and information related to the services requested by the RFP specifications. If selected, your proposal will be the basis for negotiating a contract with Shelby County Government.

Your proposal must be received in the office of the Administrator of Purchasing <u>no later than 3:00</u> <u>p.m. on Friday, November 21, 2008</u>. Proposals should be addressed to:

Robert S. (Bob) Brenner, Buyer

Shelby County Government 160 N. Main, Rm. 550 Memphis, TN 38103

All consultants or consultant teams are required to prepare a **Technical Proposal** and a **Cost Proposal**. In order to be considered responsive to this RFP, each proposal must conform to the following requirements. The consultant shall:

- i. Submit a signed original and six (6) copies of the Technical Proposal (see requirements below). Number all pages consecutively.
- ii. Submit a signed original and six (6) copies of the Cost Proposal (see requirements below) in a sealed, separate package.

Clearly indicate the following on the outside of each Technical Proposal and Cost Proposal.

The packages containing the originals (clearly identified as originals) and the required number of copies of your Technical Proposal and Cost Proposal must be sealed and marked with the Proposer's name and address of the prime consultant and "CONFIDENTIAL, "SOUTHERN/POPLAR CORRIDOR STUDY - RFP #09-010-24" noted on the outside.

Sincerely,

Robert S. Brenner, Buyer
Purchasing Department Shelby County Government

cc: Martha Lott Pragati Srivastavam Tim Moreland

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Note: Please make sure you pay close attention to Sections: I-V, IX & XI. These sections will clearly outline what information is required to properly respond and prepare your RFP response.

I. INTRODUCTION

Shelby County Government's Memphis Planning Organization is seeking proposals from interested and qualified professionals to work as a consultant on behalf of the Memphis Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization ("Memphis MPO"). This Request for Proposal ("RFP") is being released to invite interested and qualified Consultants to prepare and submit proposals in accordance with instructions provided where one successful candidate will be selected and invited to enter into a contractual relationship with Shelby County for the Services outlined in this RFP. A resultant contract will be for a term beginning January, 2009 and ending December, 2009. In this RFP, the terms Proposer and Consultant are used interchangeably unless the context indicated otherwise.

II. MINIMUM PROPOSER REQUIRMENT

All Proposers must:

- 1. Have three (3) years of experience in the areas of transportation planning, traffic, engineering, and facilitating public participation
- Have on staff a certified engineer.
- 3. Retain sufficient personnel to fulfill the requested services by the proposed deadline.
- 4. Apply and qualify for an Equal Opportunity Compliance (EOC) certification number through our EOC Administration (see the details outlined in section VII General Requirement/e. Selection Criteria)
- 5. Adhere to all Title VI requirements and provide proof/documentation if necessary.

<u>Please Note:</u> As a part of doing business with Shelby County, each individual, company or organization is required to <u>obtain a vendor number and an "Equal Opportunity Compliance" certification number.</u> The vendor # is obtained through the Purchasing Department and the EOC certification is obtained through the Shelby County EOC Administration. If you have any questions regarding the vendor # please call the Purchasing Department @ 901-545-4360 or download the Bidder's List Application & the W-9 at

http://www.shelbycountytn.gov/FirstPortal/dotShowDoc/dotContent/Government/CountyServices/AdminandFinance/bidder_app.pdf and http://www.shelbycountytn.gov/FirstPortal/dotShowDoc/dotContent/Government/CountyServices/AdminandFinance/fw9.pdf

If you have any questions regarding the EOC qualification, please call 901-545-4336 or download the document at http://www.shelbycountyta.gov/EirstPortal/dotShowDoc/Government/CountyServices/AdminandEirstPortal/dotShowDoc/

http://www.shelbycountytn.gov/FirstPortal/dotShowDoc/Government/CountyServices/AdminandFinance/eoc_contract_comply_v2.pdf

**You may respond to this solicitation if you have at least applied for a vendor # and the certification. Please include a copy of the applications that you submitted with your proposal response.

III. CORRESPONDENCE

All correspondence, proposals and questions concerning the RFP are to be submitted to:

Robert S. (Bob) Brenner, Buyer Shelby County Government 160 N. Main St. Suite 550 Memphis, TN 38103

Respondents requesting additional information or clarification are to contact Bob Brenner in writing at bob.brenner@shelbycountytn.gov or at the address listed above. Questions should reference the section of the RFP to which the question pertains and all contact information for the person submitting the questions. IN ORDER TO PREVENT AN UNFAIR ADVANTAGE TO ANY RESPONDENT, VERBAL QUESTIONS WILL NOT BE ANSWERED. The deadline for submitting questions will be November 14, 2008 by 12:00 p.m. (CST). These guidelines for communication have been established to ensure a fair and equitable process for all respondents.

Please be aware that contact with any other personnel (other than the person clearly identified in this document) within Shelby County regarding this RFP may disqualify your company from further consideration.

IV. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION & DEADLINE

All proposals must be received at the address listed above no later than November 21, 2008 @ 3:00 p.m. (CST). Facsimile or e-mailed proposals will not be accepted since they do not contain original signatures. Postmarks will not be accepted in lieu of actual receipt. Late or incomplete proposals may not be opened and considered. Under no circumstances, regardless of weather conditions, transportation delays, or any other circumstance, will this deadline be extended.

V. PROPOSAL TIMELINE

Shelby County reserves the right to modify this timeline at any time. If the due date for proposals is changed, all prospective Proposers shall be notified.

Request for Proposals Released

Proposal Due Date Notification of Award Services to Commence Friday, October 24, 2008

Friday, November 21, 2008 by 3:00 p.m. (CST)

December, 2008

January 1, 2009 or immediately upon execution of

contract

The County may reproduce any of the Proposer's proposal and supporting documents for internal use or for any other purpose required by law.

VI. PROPOSAL CONDITIONS

a. Contingencies

This RFP does not commit the County to award a contract. The County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals if the County determines it is in the best interest of the County to do so. The County will notify all Proposers, in writing, if the County rejects all proposals.

b. Modifications

The County reserves the right to issue addenda or amendments to this RFP.

c. Proposal Submission

To be considered, all proposals must be submitted in the manner set forth in this RFP. It is the Proposer's responsibility to ensure that its proposals arrive on or before the specified time.

d. Incurred Costs

This RFP does not commit the County to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of a proposal in response to this RFP and Proposers agree that all costs incurred in developing this RFP are the Proposer's responsibility.

e. Final Authority

The final authority to award a contract rests solely with the Shelby County Purchasing Department.

f. Proposal Validity

Proposals submitted hereunder will be firm for at least ninety (90) calendar days from the due date unless otherwise qualified.

g. Disclosure of Proposal Contents

Provider understands and acknowledges that County is a governmental entity subject to the laws of the State of Tennessee and that any reports, data or other information supplied to County is subject to being disclosed as a public record in accordance with the laws of the State of Tennessee. All proposals and other materials submitted become the property of Shelby County Government. All proposal information, including detailed price and cost information, will be held in confidence during the evaluation process and before the time of a Notice of Intent to Award is issued. Thereafter, proposals will become public information.

h. LOSB

The County encourages the utilization of locally-owned small businesses as sources of subcontract work. The County notifies all respondents that all firms and/or individuals shall comply with the regulations relative to nondiscrimination in federally assisted programs of the Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended.

LOCALLY OWNED SMALL BUSINESS PURCHASING PROGRAM RULES AND REGULATIONS:

- (i) The Administrator of Purchasing in conjunction with the Administrator of EOC shall identify certain goods and services required by the County to be set aside for special purchasing procedures for locally owned small businesses.
- (ii) Only certified locally owned small businesses will be allowed to submit competitive bids on the goods or services identified under paragraph (i) above.
- (iii) The Administrator of Purchasing shall, in conjunction with the Administrator of EOC, annually review the Shelby County Capital Improvement

Program to determine those projects with a construction cost of \$250,000 or more. Contracts amounting to at least ten (10%) of the construction costs of such project shall be awarded to locally owned small businesses as defined herein, except as set forth in sub-paragraph (vi) of this section, either as part of the conditions of the solicitation for general contractors bidding on these projects, or as separate bids issued by the County for subcontracts that may be assigned to general contractors.

- (iv) After adhering to all other bidding and purchasing requirements of the County, not inconsistent with this part, if no bids are received from locally owned small businesses, then the County may solicit bids for the goods or services from all other sources.
- (v) On all purchases and/or contracts entered into by the County, the Purchasing Administrator or his or her designee shall have the right to negotiate with any supplier of goods or services to the County for the inclusion of locally owned small business subcontractors and/or suppliers in the contract award.
- (vi) Failure by a supplier or contractor to include locally owned small business sub-contractors or suppliers in its bid or contract may be grounds for rejection of said bid or contract unless the supplier or contractor can show documented evidence of good cause why none were included.
- (vii) Any locally owned small business awarded a contract or purchase order under this section shall not sublet, subcontract or assign any work or services awarded to it without the prior written consent of the Mayor or the Purchasing Administrator.
- (viii) As to those purchases below the requirement for a formal bid solicitation (currently, under \$15,000) and not included in the locally owned small business set aside, the Administrator of Purchasing shall determine if any locally owned small business offers that product or service. If so, at least one such eligible locally owned small business should be included in the vendors contacted for an opportunity to bid, and the Administrator of Purchasing may, at his discretion, designate in a purchase order the purchase of such goods and services from the identified locally owned small business.
- (ix) In those situations where a locally owned small business as defined herein, engages in open competitive bidding for County contracts, the Administrator of Purchasing shall provide for a preference for the locally owned small business where responsibility and quality are equal. Said preferences shall not exceed five percent (5%) of the lowest possible bidder meeting specifications. The preference shall be applied on a sliding scale in the following manner:

- a. A preference of up to five percent (5%) shall be allowed for contracts up to \$500,000.00;
- b. A preference of up to three and five-tenths percent (3.5%) shall be allowed for contracts up to \$750,000.00;
- c. A preference of two and one-half percent (2.5%) shall be allowed for contracts up to \$1,000,000.00;
- d. A preference of two percent (2%) shall be allowed for contracts that exceed \$1,000,000.00.
- (x) For construction contracts over \$2,000,000.00, the Administrator of Purchasing shall provide for a preference of two percent (2%) to general contractors meeting the requirements of Section 1, Subparagraph B, if fifty percent (50%) or more of the total work comprising the bid has been or will be awarded to certified locally owned small businesses. The fifty percent subcontracting threshold must be met prior to contract execution.
- (xi) The Administrator of Purchasing may divide a single bid package for any purchase of goods and services into two or more smaller bid packages in any case that the Administrator of Purchasing reasonably believes that the smaller bid packages will result in a greater number of bids by locally owned small businesses.
 - (xii) The Administrator of Purchasing, upon approval of the County Mayor, may establish special insurance and bonding requirements for certified locally owned small businesses so long as they are not in conflict with the laws of the State of Tennessee.
 - (xiii) The Administrator of Purchasing, with the approval of the County Mayor, shall adopt and promulgate, and may from time to time, amend rules and regulations not inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance, governing the purchase of goods and services from locally owned small business concerns to effectuate and implement the Locally Owned Small Business Purchasing Program within the intent of this ordinance.
 - (xiv) The Administrator of EOC shall, in conjunction with the Administrator of Purchasing, provide a written quarterly report to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners which shall include a summary of the purchases selected for this program, a listing of the contracts awarded to locally owned small businesses for the period, and the dollar amounts of each such contract, and the percentage which such contracts bear to the total amount of purchases for the period.